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Serial No.: 10/072,052	)	
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Filing Date: February 8, 2002	)	
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For: VIAL ADAPTER HAVING A NEEDLE-FREE	)	April 23, 2002
VALVE FOR USE WITH VIAL CLOSURES	)	
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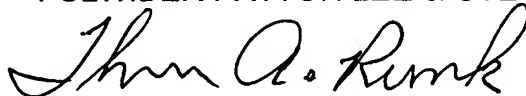
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated March 4, 2002, enclosed is a copy of the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application, a Declaration and Power of Attorney for patent application, signed by the inventor Karl R. Leinsing, Assignment, Recordation Form Cover Sheet (Form PTO-1595), and a check in the amount of \$170.00 for the surcharge, and the assignment recordation filing fee.

*Application No.: 10/072,052*

No additional fees are believed to be due; however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 06-2425.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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